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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

**"PUBLIC AUCTION."**

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, at the "MAGNETO" on the 1<sup>st</sup> September, 1897, at NOON, at Messrs. FRANKIE HORMUSSEE & Co.'s Goods, Queen's Road Central, 39 BALES BOMBAY YARN, 100 LBS. "KUR" More or Less Damaged by Sea Water. For Account and Risk of the Concerned. TERMS—As Customary.

H. N. MOODY,  
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Hongkong, 31st August, 1897. 1870

**NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.**

FROM SOERABAYA, SAMARANG, BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, AND SAIGON.  
The Company's Steamship

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September, will be subject to rent.  
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 JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
 Agents.  
 Hongkong, 30th August, 1887. [1887  
 "THE GIBB" LINE OF STEAMERS.  
 (FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT) AND MEL-  
 BOURNE.  
 Taking through the Straits of COCHIN, LAND PORTS,  
 ADRIATIC, TASMANIA, NEW ZEALAND, &c.)  
 The British Steamer  
 "PATHAN,"  
 Captain "Jas. Cowley," will be despatched as above  
 on FRIDAY, the 2nd September, at FOUR P.M.  
 The steamer, has excellent Accommodation for  
 First Class Passengers. (Apply to Sydney or  
 Melbourne S/Os).  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
 GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
 Managers.  
 Hongkong, 31st August, 1887. [1888  
 "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.  
 FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

**"CARDIGANSHIRE,"**  
Black Commander, will be dispatched for the  
above Ports on 31st AUGUST, the Proximo.  
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Hongkong, 31st August, 1887. 1169

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things, tested to 150 lbs. to the square inch;  
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Engines, 1 Vertical and 1 Diagonal Steam  
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Engines, 1 Drilling Machine, 2 Emery Tool  
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MACHINES, 2 and 4 ton PORTLAND CEMENT  
1000 gal. WATER TANK, 1600 PUMPS, 1

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Crane STEEL RIGGING MACHINE, by Nicholson,  
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All the above Machinery are new or in good  
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NOTICE.

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SIBLE for any DEBTS contracted by  
my Sons JOHN SNOWDON VAUGHAN,  
and JAMES MACFARLANE VAUGHAN,  
JOSEPH VAUGHAN  
Hongkong, 20th August, 1887. 11682

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

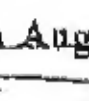
COVERED CRANES

THE DIVIDEND OF \$63 per Cent. or \$8.12 1/2 per Share for the Six months ended 30th June, 1887, declared at Bank's Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting will be payable at the Premises of the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after TUESDAY, the 29th August, and Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants at the Company's Office, No. 1, Praya Central, Hongkong.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, 29th August, 1887. 1666

ZETLAND  LODGE.

No. 525.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, 10, PRAYA CENTRAL, on MONDAY EVENING, the 1st September, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially WELCOMED.

Hongkong, 30th August, 1887. 1665

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Swatow, August, 1887. [1469]







Government will give this matter their consideration for the comfort of the community.

The theatrical performance given by the Non-Commissioned Officers of the Police Force for the benefit of the widows and orphans of their late Ensigns killed on duty on Saturday night, the 20th inst., was a most successful one. The house was crowded, and among the present were His Excellency Sir George and Mrs. G. G. G. The performance generally acquitted themselves to the satisfaction of the audience and were rewarded with enthusiastic applause.

The adjourned fancy fair was held last night, when the promoters were more fortunate than on the previous occasion, the whole of the articles being disposed of. It is said that the Committee have so far raised the sum of \$2,000 by subscription, bazaar, and theatrical performance, for the benefit of the orphan children of the late Sir George. A general wish has been expressed that the charitable movement may be crowned with success; the piousness of the donors is deserving of all sympathy.

Señor Pares, the speaker, has been suspended from his post, on account of the recent escape of seven men from the goal.

## YOKOHAMA.

Mr. Bin Eishun, Korean Consul at Yokohama, arrived here with his suite on the 16th inst. in the *Sunamitsu-maru*. A native paper says he is about thirty years old, and is a son of a Korean nobleman, and has a good education. He is a man of ability and belongs to a noble family. His father has been a local governor for years by the special selection of His Majesty the King of Korea. Mr. Bin was appointed to a responsible position in the Home Office in 1895, and since then has performed his duties well. Mr. Bin is a native of the Korean capital, Seoul, and is a member of the Korean nobility. He is a man of ability and belongs to a noble family. His father has been a local governor for years by the special selection of His Majesty the King of Korea. Mr. Bin was appointed to a responsible position in the Home Office in 1895, and since then has performed his duties well.

A small of unusual violence burst over Yokohama on Tuesday afternoon (21st August) about four o'clock, inflicting a considerable amount of damage among the smaller craft in the harbor and Creek in its passage. The gusts of wind, proceeding from the north, lasted all night with great rapidity and violence, while a dangerous, choppy sea was very soon raised in the harbor. Owing to the suddenness with which the storm came on a number of lighters and sampans were unable to reach places of shelter in time and experienced the full force of the gale. Five or six lighters, loaded with cargo, are known to have gone down, while a number of sampans were wrecked by going ashore on the beach or by trying to run up the Creek. Mr. H. J. Gorman's yacht *Daphne*, which had been moored opposite the entrance to the Creek, broke away from her moorings and was driven ashore at the Point of View. The boat was severely damaged, but the crew were not hurt. The boat was towed back to the harbor, but the damage was too great for it to be repaired. The boat was sold for scrap.

## THE SOLAR ECLIPSE IN JAPAN.

The Japan Mail says—Elaborate preparations were made in Japan to scientifically observe the eclipse of the 19th August. Arrangements were made for observation in six places on the line of totality. The first of these was at Otsu, where the Japanese Government had a station fully equipped. At Nigata the phenomenon was observed by Mr. Arai, at Kurume, by Professor Kurume, of the Imperial University, by Mr. Nakamura, of the Imperial University, and by Mr. Nakamura, of the Imperial University. At Nigata the phenomenon was observed by Mr. Arai, at Kurume, by Professor Kurume, of the Imperial University, by Mr. Nakamura, of the Imperial University, and by Mr. Nakamura, of the Imperial University.

## U. S. OBSERVING STATION, SHIRAKAWA.

Weather absolutely cloudy. Totality lost. A few photographs, some of them sharp and good, were secured during the eclipse. The sun, before the second contact and after the third. But the work done is only a small fraction of the total which it was hoped to do, and for which arrangements of a complete and highly elaborate kind had been made. During totality the moon and part of the Corona were faintly seen for a few seconds from a small area of the town, distant four or five hundred yards from the Observatory.

## POLITICS AT PEKING.

A correspondent, who possesses exceptional sources of information, writing from Peking under date July 23rd, says:—The situation generally is interesting. In the front row of persons are the French Minister, M. de Cambon, and the Chinese Minister, M. Wang. The French Minister, M. de Cambon, is a man of ability and belongs to a noble family. His father has been a local governor for years by the special selection of His Majesty the King of Korea. Mr. Bin was appointed to a responsible position in the Home Office in 1895, and since then has performed his duties well.

his rank, position, and education seemed to fit him admirably for the task assigned to him. He is a man of ability and belongs to a noble family. His father has been a local governor for years by the special selection of His Majesty the King of Korea. Mr. Bin was appointed to a responsible position in the Home Office in 1895, and since then has performed his duties well.

## LIEUTENANT GRAYDON'S CAREER IN CHINA.

The San Francisco Chronicle contains the following plain speaking by Colonel Mosby regarding Lieut. Graydon. The Chronicle publishes the information that Lieutenant James W. Graydon, who is well known in this city, had insisted proceedings for divorce from his wife in the courts of Hongkong. The Chronicle states that Lieut. Graydon was a member of the United States Army, and was stationed in Hongkong. He was a man of ability and belongs to a noble family. His father has been a local governor for years by the special selection of His Majesty the King of Korea. Mr. Bin was appointed to a responsible position in the Home Office in 1895, and since then has performed his duties well.

Not long before his departure for San Francisco, in the fall of 1895, he visited the Consulate and fairly forced himself upon the attention of the Consul. He was a man of ability and belongs to a noble family. His father has been a local governor for years by the special selection of His Majesty the King of Korea. Mr. Bin was appointed to a responsible position in the Home Office in 1895, and since then has performed his duties well.

## COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

On London.—Telegraphic Transfer, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, on demand, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 30 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 60 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 90 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 120 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 150 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 180 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 210 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 240 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 270 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 300 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 330 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 360 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 390 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 420 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 450 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 480 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 510 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 540 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 570 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 600 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 630 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 660 days sight, 3/24 1/2; Bank Bills, at 690 days sight, 3/24 1/2; 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## NOTICE OF FIRM.

THE AGENCY at this Port of Messrs. CALDERBROOK, MACGREGOR & Co., Shanghai, has this day been transferred to Mr. ALEXANDER LEVY. (Signed) J. JONES HUGHES.

With Reference to the above notice I have this day assumed Charge of the Business at this Port of Messrs. CALDERBROOK, MACGREGOR & Co., Wine and Spirit Merchants Shanghai.

ALEXANDER LEVY.  
Hongkong, 30th July, 1887. [128]

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Hongkong, 1st January, 1886. [33]

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Hongkong, 25th February, 1887. [438]

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THE Property known as "THE CLIFFS," near Mount Gough—the Peak.

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Hongkong, 24th February 1887. [418]

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CHAS. H. REID'S SECK'S CHAMPAGNE, 1880 WHITE SEAL.

525.....per case of 1 dozen quarts.

CLARET, GRAND VIN, LEVILLON.

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WINE AND SPIRITS.

SIEMSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 1st January, 1884. [19]

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Do. "GOLD FOIL" (extra dry).

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Hongkong, 28th July, 1887. [1439]

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Hongkong, 30th July, 1886. [142]

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Hongkong, 1st February, 1887. [149]

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Hongkong, 10th August, 1887. [1618]

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Hongkong, 16th August, 1887. [1565]

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Hongkong, 2nd May, 1887. [18]

## WING TAI &amp; Co.

SHIP'S COMPROMISES, STEVEDORES,

AND

## MAILS EXPECTED.

THE FRANCH MAIL.

The Messagerie Maritimee steamer *Saphir*, with

the French mail of the 29th July, left

Saigon on the 28th August, and may be expected

here on or about the 1st September. This

packet brings replies to letters despatched from

Hongkong on the 16th June.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The P. M. steamer *City of Rio de Janeiro*, with

the American mail of the 13th August, left

San Francisco on that date, and may be expected

here on or about the 12th September.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The N. G. I. steamer *Disango* left Singapore on

the 25th, and is due here on the 31st instant.

The D. D. steamer *Hesperia* left Singapore at

6 p.m. on the 26th August, and is due here on the

1st September.

The P. & O. extra steamer *Zambesi* left Singa-

pore at 4 p.m. on the 27th August, and is due

here on the 2nd September.

The U. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Sarcelon* left Singa-

pore on the 28th August, and is due here on the

3rd September.

The Anglo-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer *Im-*

perator left Singapore on the 29th August, and

is due here on the 4th September.

The Union Line steamer *Scarra* left Singapore

on the 29th August, and is due here on the 4th

September.

The C. M. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Moyana*, left

Singapore on the 30th August, and is due here on

the 4th September.

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For Shanghai.—Per *Yangtze*, to-day, the 31st

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For Kobe.—Per *Emeralda*, to-day, the 31st

inst., at 3.30 P.M.

For Saigon and Calcutta.—Per *Jagan*, to-

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